

STONE & THOMAS.

August Clearance Prices

HAVE BEEN PLACED ON ALL SUMMER GOODS.

DRESS GOODS.

35 pieces 40-inch wide Black Etamine Grenadines, formerly 12½c
50c yard, to be closed out at..... 25c
Lot of about 20 pieces All-Wool and Silk-and-Wool Dress
Goods, were 50c and 59c, to be sold at..... 25c

SUMMER SILKS.

Our entire stock of Wash Silks, were 39c and 49c, to be sold
at per yard..... 25c
All finest Corded Wash Silks, were 49c and 59c, to go at
per yard..... 33c

SPECIAL BLACK SILK.

A lot of 10 pieces 24-inch wide rich, lustrous Black Satine
Duchess, to be sold at per yard..... 69c

WASH GOODS.

A special purchase of 75 pieces Lappet Mulls and other de-
sirable Wash Goods made the past week; bought way
under regular prices. Monday they will be sold at per
yard..... 10c

TOWELS.

500 dozen 18x36 Hemmed Huck Towels,
Monday special..... 10c

IN THE ANNEX.

1,000 Paper Novels, 100 titles to select from,
To be sold at each..... 3c
500 regular 10c Paper Novels, standard authors; 150 titles,
at each..... 6c
About 50 Woven Hammocks, that were 59c, to be closed
out at..... 42c
500 pounds Royal Scotch Linen Writing Paper, satin fin-
ished, ruled or plain, per pound..... 19c
Envelopes, per package..... 10c

CLEARANCE SALE OF SUMMER GOODS IN THE BASEMENT.

\$1.65 Suit Cases now..... \$.95
\$1.95 Suit Cases now..... \$1.15
\$2.25 Suit Cases now..... \$1.35

ONE-THIRD OFF!---CANVAS TELESCOPES---ONE-THIRD OFF!

8½ Foot Rubber Hose now..... 60c Foot
10½ Foot Rubber Hose now..... 80c Foot
12½ Foot Rubber Hose now..... 9½c Foot

STONE & THOMAS.

Geo. H. Snook & Co. | Geo. H. Snook & Co.

Snook & Co.

Perhaps You've Decided

to take a little outing, or a more extended excursion, and
are restrained by the fear that you cannot get ready in time.
Come to us—

We Can Fit You Out In a Few Hours--

Make you presentable enough to grace the most fashionable
seaside, lake or mountain resort, at a cost just now of
about

One-Half of What It Ought to Be!

Our Suits, Skirts and Waists—wonderfully diverse—
must be seen to be appreciated. Our expert fitters will
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Muslin, Cambric and Jersey Rib. Underwear.

Thousands of choice pieces here. 'Twould be strange
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lars, Ties, Fancy Neckwear, Hosiery, Gloves; Jet, Ribbon
and Leather Belts; Corsets, Handkerchiefs, Fancy Hair
Combs, Jewelry, Perfumery, Toilet Articles, Rain and Sun
Umbrellas, Telescopes, Traveling Toilet Cases, Medicine
Cases—in short, not even the smallest item of necessity or
adornment lacking to make your

Traveling Outfit Complete in Every Detail.

One Item for Men. One Waist Thought.

Choice of our finest Silk Front Shirts, the \$1.50 sort,
only \$1.00. You can buy any of our
The dollar ones go at 75c. finest White or Colored Shirt
Waists at \$1.98. Worth up
to \$3.25.

GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.

\$3.50 Shoes \$1.95.

Every "Wheeling"
Tan Shoe, Every
\$3.00 Tan Shoe in
our house.....

\$1.95 To-day.

ALEXANDER,
Good Shoes. 1049 Main.
Ladies' Tan Oxfords 1-2 Price.

LADIES' OPPORTUNITY
for a big saving on
SHOES.
2.50 Ladies' Tans, Lace or
Button, reduced to
\$1.58.
COME QUICK FOR CHOICE.
NAY BROTHERS,
1317 MARKET.

Developing and Printing.

This department of our store is
exceedingly busy, due to the artis-
tic excellence of our work. We
take charge of that part of picture
making for which many amateurs
have neither time nor facilities.
Can we help you?

NICOLL'S ART STORE,
1231 Market Street.

The Intelligencer

Office: 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.
Chamber of Commerce Meeting: Grape-
nuts. "That Substantial Feeling" Grape-
nuts. Public Sale of Valuable Property—Geo.
J. Mathison. Stock for Sale—Simpson & Tatum.
Men and Women to Travel. Wanted—Young Girl.
A Word and a Blow—The Hub—Eligible
Page. Just Received—Geo. R. Taylor Company
—Fifth page. Stocking Talk—D. Gundling & Co.—
Fifth page. Half Price Sale—John Friedel & Co.—
Eighth page. August Clearance Prices—Stone & Tho-
mas—Eighth page. Dress Goods—Geo. E. Stifel & Co.—Fifth
page. Semi-Annual Pants Sale—Kraus Bros.—
Fifth page. Mine. Ruppert's Specialties—Stone &
Thomas—Sixth page.

FOR THE HOT WEATHER AT C. HESS & SONS.

A full line of Serges, Pin Checks and
Cheviots, which we are prepared to
make up at popular prices.
Our Halbriggan Underwear at 50c,
75c and \$1.00 cannot be excelled. Sizes
as large as 50. ½ Hose a specialty.
Always the newest in Neckwear,
Collars and Cuffs.
C. HESS & SONS,
Fashionable Tailors and Furnishers,
1321 and 1323 Market Street.

20,000.
We have fitted more than twenty
thousand pairs of Spectacles, giving us
a record and experience unequalled by
any other optician in West Virginia.
Satisfaction guaranteed.
JACOB W. GRUBB, Optician,
No. 1306 Market Street.

Daniel West Injured.

Daniel West, an Eighth ward man,
left his home a few days ago, and be-
coming alarmed at his absence, his wife
asked the police yesterday to assist in
locating him. It was learned last
night that West was run over by a
Baltimore & Ohio train, near Gibson's
station, Ohio, and one of his legs was
crushed so that amputation may be
necessary. He will likely be brought
to the city this morning. His mind was
wandering, it was said, by those on the
scene of the accident. No cause for his
leaving home is known.

A Tramp Killed.

A tramp was killed by an Ohio River
train, at the foot of Thirty-first street,
Saturday morning. There were no eye
witnesses of the affair, but it is sup-
posed the stranger was walking the
track and didn't hear the approach of
the train. He was instantly killed and
his body was frightfully mangled. The
inquest conducted by Coroner Schultze,
developed the probability that the man
was a tramp printer, and his name and
address, H. A. M. Atchison, of St.
Louis, Mo.

The remains were interred in the
Peninsula cemetery, and Coroner
Schultze took a minute description of
the man in the hope of identification by
his relatives.

SWEET, clean and good to eat is the
Wheeling Bakery's famous bread.

Next Atlantic City Excursion

Via Baltimore & Ohio will leave Thurs-
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ets good 15 days and good to stop off
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and Washington. Four trains each way,
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C. Burke, Passenger and Ticket Agent.

ASK your neighbors whose bread
they eat. Nine times out of ten,
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Dick's Shining Parlors.
Dick's Shining Parlors, for ladies and
gentlemen, at the corner of Market and
Fourteenth streets, are prepared to give
your shoes the best shine possible.
Shoes called for and delivered without
extra charge. Ladies' shoes will re-
ceive special attention. Entrance on
Fourteenth street.

ALWAYS ask your grocer for Wheel-
ing Bakery Bread. Good. Big. Cheap.

IN THE SIXTEENTH.

Interesting Contest Being Waged
for the Republican

CONGRESSIONAL NOMINATION

Across the River—Mr. Weems has
Belmont Solidly, and Hopes to Se-
cure Sufficient Support from Carroll
and Monroe to Give him the Plum.
Gill, of Jefferson, Appears to be his
Most Formidable Opponent.

To-day at St. Clairsville the Belmont
county Republican committee goes
through the formality of selecting the
county's sixty delegates to the Martin's
Ferry congressional convention of Sep-
tember 12, which will select the late
Captain Danford's successor. It is
spoken of as a formality for the reason
that it goes without saying the delega-
tion will be solidly for Weems. Mr.
Weems, it is believed, will receive the
loyal support of his home county so
long as there remains a chance for his
success—and sixty votes means that
the man who receives them has "an all
fired good chance," as a Belmont coun-
ty politician expresses it.

Weems would have the nomination if
he could secure, in addition to Belmont,
the votes of Carroll and Monroe. But
here's the rub—other people, too, have
their eyes on Carroll and Monroe.
There's Mr. Gill, the Jefferson county
candidate, for instance; he is engaged
in a desperate flirtation with the Re-
publican leaders in both counties and
his friends say he is sure to receive
substantial support from both. And
General Hollingsworth and Millionaire
Scott, both of Harrison, are also inter-
esting themselves in the crops and "sich
like" over in dark Mondo and Carroll.
The outcome will likely be the splitting
up of the vote of these two counties
among the candidates.

At the outset, Weems will have Bel-
mont and scattering votes from Carroll
and Monroe; Gill will likely have Jef-
ferson and some votes from the two
counties mentioned, and Hollingsworth,
Scott and minor candidates will have
the other votes. So it would appear
that Weems and Gill will enter the con-
vention leaders in the race, and very
likely there will be a prolonged contest
in the over-the-river convention until
the field is narrowed down to two can-
didates, probably Weems and Gill.

It is said General Hollingsworth is in
alliance with Representative Rutan, of
Carroll, and that the latter is to swing
Carroll over to Hollingsworth in the
congressional convention. This little
plan doesn't suit ex-Representative
Fimple, who is one of the minor con-
gressional candidates, and it is said
Harvey Eskley, one of Fimple's lieuten-
ants, recently met Mr. Weems in
this city and as a result of their confer-
ence it was arranged that delegates
would be selected in Carroll who could
be swung over to Weems if it were seen
that Fimple was slated for the "also
ran" class. A deal of this character, of
course, is manifestly to the great ad-
vantage of Weems and would land him
very near to the nomination.

There has been no congressional
struggle across the river in late years
in which so much interest has been
exhibited in Wheeling as there is just
now in the one in progress. Wheeling
people who can stir up an interest in
politics are Weems men, almost with-
out exception. Mr. Weems is probably
as well known here as any man who is
not a resident of the city. He is known
socially, legally and politically, and his
friends are legion. Naturally they are
hoping he will come out of the contest
successfully, and his West Virginia ad-
mirers are willing to predict that he
will make his mark in the national
house of representatives.

Mr. Weems possesses some of the
characteristics popularly ascribed to
Lincoln. To begin with, he is tall and
anything but graceful. Again, he is
droll in manner, and in his speeches he
brings to his aid a quaint humor that
wins his audience. In the 1898 cam-
paign he was one of the speakers at the
Elkins meeting in the Pythian Castle.
Who, who was there that night, does
not remember Mr. Weems' very effec-
tive talk? Senator Elkins had com-
pleted a long and masterly review of
the issues of the campaign, unanswer-
able as an argument, but which had
left the crowd in a humor for something
in a lighter vein. And here it was that
Weems shone brightly. By one who
didn't know the man his opening would
have been called diffident, but that's his
style, and it wasn't five minutes before
the audience was roaring in response
to the speaker's inimitable jabs at the
Democracy. As the audience warmed
up with each succeeding hit, Mr.
Weems, with the charming candor that
contributes to his make-up, said:
"Yes, ladies and gentlemen; that's
my way; my speeches always grow bet-
ter as they grow longer."

Evidently the audience thought as
much, for Mr. Weems found it almost
impossible to bring his remarks to a
close, so impetuous were the calls for
him to continue.

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ing Bakery Bread. Good. Big. Cheap.

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Do you have headache? Do your eyes
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For any trouble of your eyes consult us.
We make glasses at popular prices. Make
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A Word and a Blow,

and the blow comes first. We've indiscrimi-
nately cut the price of about one hundred of
our finest Men's Spring and Summer Suits.
The cheapest of them are worth \$12.50, and
many come out of our \$15 grades, but no
matter which, help yourselves from the cream
of the suit stock at

\$8.88. \$8.88. \$8.88. \$8.88.

It's a burning shame to bend them to any
such price, for it doesn't much more than
pay for the needle and thread work on them,
but there's no sentiment in business. Duty
is duty—and we live up to our policy not to
permit one season to lap over into the
next—no matter what it costs or what the
consequences may be. If you want one of
the best suits you ever wore for the price,
then don't miss this sale.

We continue this week our special Trouser Sale. Hundreds sold last
week, hundreds must be sold this week.

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CLOTHIERS, HATTERS, FURNISHERS,
MARKET AND FOURTEENTH STREETS.

Baer's Clothing House. | Baer's Clothing House.

\$7.50 **\$10.00**

For Our \$10.00 and \$12.00 Serge Suits. For Our \$15.00 and \$16.00 Serge Suits.

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We've culled 'em from the best selling lots.
The \$10 and \$12 Suits never knew equals under
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the money. Every Suit is guaranteed—the color,
the making, the cloth. Every man shares this chance,
for every size is among 'em. It's the biggest chance
of the season—an offering of the best clothes of the
year. But September soon comes and they must go,
to make room for our fall stock.

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John Friedel & Co. | John Friedel & Co.

Half Price Sale Of Odd Pieces.

Commencing Tuesday and continued until these pieces
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Consisting of odd pieces of Decorated Dinner and
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Also a variety of other pieces.

Those wishing to secure bargains call early.

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Fine Dongola Flexible Sole Shoes, Cincinnati made. The best shoe in Wheeling for..... \$2.00

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Fine Black Vici Kid or Tan Willow Calf. Genuine Welt Bot-
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Locke Shoe Company.

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